

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA for
the use and benefit of GELCO
SERVICES INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

EAI INTERNATIONAL, INC., et
al.,

Defendants

CIV-S-04-0814 DFL PAN

ORDER

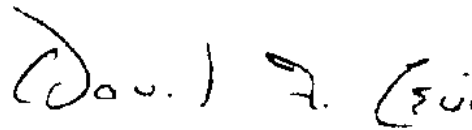
Plaintiff Gelco Services seeks to recover \$15,540.00 in attorney's fees and \$178 in costs from defendant Thelma Magno. No opposition was filed. The court finds that plaintiff's attorney's billing rate of \$150 per hour and the number of hours for which plaintiff requests compensation are both reasonable. Therefore, the court awards plaintiff \$15,540.00 in attorney's fees.

Plaintiff also seeks to recover the filing fee and the cost of serving defendant Magno. These expenses are properly taxed as

1 costs under Local Rule 54-292(f). Therefore, the court awards
2 plaintiff \$178.00 in costs.

3 IT IS SO ORDERED.

4 Dated: 1/30/2006.

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9 United States District Judge
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